IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: L. BARANOVA et al.

Application No.: 09/076,956

Group Art Unit: 1623

Filed: May 13, 1998

Examiner: L. Crane

For:

PROCESS FOR THE SYNHESIS

OF NUCLEIC ACIDS ON A SOLID

SUPPORT AND COMPOUNDS

WHICH ARE USEFUL IN PARTICULAR AS SOLID SUPPORTS IN THE SAID

PROCESS

Attorney Docket No.: 9710-007

FEE TRANSMITTAL SHEET

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

The fee required to be filed with the accompanying amendment of even date herewith concerning the above-identified application has been estimated to be \$1,172.

The claim amendment fee has been estimated as shown below:

	(Col. 1)		(Col. 2)		(Col. 3)	SMALL ENTITY				OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY		
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	PR	HIGHEST NO PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		PRESENT EXTRA	RATE		ADDIT. FEE	OR	RATE		ADDIT. FEE
TOTAL	49	MINUS	20	=	29	× 9	\$			× 18	\$	522.00
INDEP.	8	MINUS	3	=	5	× 39	\$			× 78	\$	390.00
S FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM						+130	\$			+ 260	s	260.00
•						TOTAL	\$		OR	TOTAL	\$	1172.00

Please charge the required fee to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

For:

Respectfully submitted,

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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In further response to the Office Action dated August 5, 1998, and to supplement the Reply and Amendment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 filed on February 5, 1999 in connection with the above captioned application, a copy of which was provided by facsimile to the Examiner on March 17, 1999, please consider the following amendments and remarks. Applicants submit herewith a Fee Transmittal Sheet.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 32-47.

Please add new claims 48-79, as follows:

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